

### IN THE SPECIFICATION

1 Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 6, line 19, as follows:

Where the system 10 does not receive an affirmative response to the specific  
request made of the callee, the telephone number called will be classified as "not live-  
5 answered" and saved at least temporarily as a second data file on the storage medium  
20 during step 36. It is contemplated that the software 18 will further provide the system  
10 with the ability to detect the return of ~~SIT-Tones~~special information tones, from which  
the system 10 will classify the telephone number as a number that was "not live-  
answered." In the present embodiment, the system 10 will terminate the telephone call  
10 after the telephone number has been identified as being "live-answered" or "not live-  
answered."